

NEW MEXICO USBC WOMEN'S STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT



RIO RANCHO, NEW MEXICO
MARCH 3-4 AND 10-11, AND 17-18, 2018
(UNLESS EXTENDED)

RESERVED ENTRY CLOSING DATE - FEBRUARY 17, 2018

ENTRIES CLOSE 1 HOUR BEFORE SQUAD TIME UNLESS SQUAD IS FULL

SCRATCH AND HANDICAP

\$2,450.00 ADDED PRIZE MONEY

\$1,000 DONATED BY NMUSBC

\$1,000 DONATED BY TEN PINS AND MORE

\$450 DONATED BY THE RATON USBC

TEN PINS AND MORE

1416 DEBORAH RD SE

RIO RANCHO, NM 87124

(505) 892-7117

DOUBLES/SINGLES

SQUAD TIMES:

8:00AM & 5:00PM SATURDAY

9:00AM SUNDAY

ENTRY FEE

\$25.00 PER EVENT

\$6.00 OPTIONAL HANDICAP ALL EVENTS

\$6.00 OPTIONAL SCRATCH ALL EVENTS



TEAM

SQUAD TIMES:

1:00PM SATURDAY

1:00PM SUNDAY

MAIL ENTRIES TO:

MELODY RAYHART, TOURNAMENT MGR.

1506 WHITE OAKS CT.

ALAMOGORDO, NM 88310

MRAYHART@ZIANET.COM

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PLEASE READ RULES INSIDE AND COMPLETE ENTRY FORM



NEW MEXICO USBC WOMEN'S STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT 2018 ***RIO RANCHO, NEW MEXICO*** 2018



RESERVED ENTRIES CLOSE MIDNIGHT FEBRUARY 17, 2018

Team Event 90% of 840		
Division I 580 & Up Division II 579 & Under		
USBC No.	Bowler Name	AVG.
1		
2		
3		
4		

FEE MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY	
REGULAR	
Prize Fund	8.75
Lineage	11.25
Expense Fund	5.00
Total	25.00
<i>Optional.Hdcp. All Events 6.00</i>	
<i>Optional.Scratch All Events 6.00</i>	
<i>(\$1.00 of All Events will be donated to charity)</i>	
ENTRY FEE: \$25.00 PER EVENT	
<i>Make Remittance Payable To: N.M.U.S.B.C.</i>	
Team Name: _____	
Captain: _____	
Address: _____	
City: _____	Zip: _____
Telephone: _____	
Payment Options: (Must Choose One) <i>If using credit card add \$5.00 to entry</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Check/Money Order <input type="checkbox"/> Visa, Mastercard or Discover
Card Number: _____	Exp. _____
Signature: _____	
If paying by credit card, you may fax or email your entry. Fax (575) 439-0473 Email mrayhart@zianet.com	

Team Division Team Average

ONLY THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED, PLEASE SEND ENTRIES IN TOGETHER

Doubles

90% of 420

Division I ♦ 340 & Up

Division II ♦ 290 - 339

Division III ♦ 289 & Below

Singles

90% of 210

Division I 170 & Up

Division II 145 - 169

Division III 144 & Below

All Events

Divisions Same As Singles

Scratch All Events

Divisions Same As Singles

USBC # / Print Bowler Name	Average	Doubles / Singles		All Events		Scratch A/E	
		YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
1							
2							
1							
2							

<u>Doubles / Singles</u>
DATES: SAT. MAR. 3, 10, 17, 2018 8:00AM & 5:00PM SUN. MAR. 4, 11, 18, 2018 9:00AM
1ST CHOICE _____
2ND CHOICE _____

<u>Team</u>
DATES: SAT. MAR. 3, 10, 17, 2018 1:00PM SUN. MAR. 4, 11, 18, 2018 1:00PM
1ST CHOICE _____
2ND CHOICE _____

Do Not Write In This Space	
Team _____	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: auto;">ENTRY No.</div>
Doubles _____	
Singles _____	
All Events _____	
Total _____	

2018 WOMEN'S STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT RULES

Tournament will consist of Team, Doubles, Singles and All Events

Tournament is a classified handicap format.

- 1. ELIGIBILITY:** Tournament is open to all USBC certified members of bowling associations within the jurisdictional area of the New Mexico USBC Association. Residents of New Mexico who are not members of any association may obtain membership by purchasing a card from a local association. **Current membership card must be presented at check-in if requested.**
- 2. ENTERING AVERAGES:** Participants must use the highest certified average for the 2016-2017 season. Summer 2016-2017 or Winter 2016-2017 averages will be used depending on which 21 game average is higher. If there is no 21 game 2016-2017 average, then the highest certified average of 21 games as of January 1, 2018 will be used, and if none of the above apply, then at least twelve (12) or more games as of **March 1, 2018 will be used and a written verification of average will be provided to tournament officials at the time she is scheduled to bowl in the tournament. All others will bowl scratch (210).** If the bowler's highest January 1, 2018 average of 21 games or more exceeds her 2016-2017 average by 10 pins or more, she must use that average. If a bowler is only bowling in a Sport Bowling League, the bowler is required to submit her adjusted Sport Bowling league average utilizing the USBC Average Adjustment Scale (USBC Rule 201c). **Bowlers bowling with opposite hand because of injury or disability must apply for relief (Rule 4e).** Tournament management reserves the right to correct any averages and adjust final tournament standings accordingly.
- 3. PRIZES AND AWARDS:** Prize fund will be returned 100% in each event. No substitute may win All Events unless they bowl the original entry's team, doubles and singles event. Prize ratio will be at least 1 in 10 entries. Awards will be presented to SCRATCH winners with the exception of scratch all events. Cash prizes will be awarded in each event on a handicap basis only (except Scratch All-Events). Bowler with the highest individual scratch total pins will have their entry paid to the USBC Queens Tournament and the highest individual scratch total pins with an age of 50 years or older will have their entry paid into the USBC Senior Queens Tournament.

4. **USBC Rule 319d and Rule 319e do not apply.**

5. **DIVISIONS:**

Team -

DIV I: 580 and above. DIV II: 579 and below.

Doubles -

DIV I: 340 and above. DIV II: 290 - 339. DIV III: 289 and below.

Singles / All-Events -

DIV I: 170 and above. DIV II: 145 - 169. DIV III: 144 and below.



6. **HANDICAP:** Ninety percent (90%) of 210 averages per participant for all divisions except Scratch All-Events.

7. **PARTICIPATION:** No more than two (2) professional bowlers are allowed on a team. Only one (1) professional bowler on a doubles pair. Entrants may participate in the Team Event multiple times, subject to the following conditions: **First team score** will count toward All-Events score. **Not more than two (2) players** shall cash together more than once. **USBC Rule 315.** Entrants may participate multiple times in the Doubles and Single event subject to the following conditions: If a participant enters one, **the entrant must enter both events.** These events must be bowled consecutively. The **First doubles and single scores** will count toward all-events score. **Doubles:** The entrant may only cash once with the same partner. The entrant must change partners to cash again. **Singles:** The entrant may only cash once. **PLEASE LIST SECOND DOUBLES AND SINGLES ON A SEPARATE ENTRY FORM, (USBC RULE 315).**

8. **RESERVED ENTRY CLOSING DATE:** Midnight **February 17, 2018.** Entries close 1 hour before squad time unless squad is full.

9. **DRESS CODE:** Members of the Board of Directors of NMUSBC, as sponsor of this Championship Tournament, require that all bowlers wear suitable attire when participating in the tournament: Slacks, Skirts or walking shorts to the knee (if fingers are below the hemline the attire is considered too short and is not suitable), bowling shirts or blouses are preferred. No hats or head covers unless approved by NMUSBC for medical reasons.

UNSUITABLE ATTIRE: Tank Tops, workout attire (i.e. Spandex, sweatpants, jogging suits), Short Shorts / Skirts (if a bowlers fingers are below the hemline, the shorts are considered too short and are not suitable), Bib overalls, torn or unclean jeans, shirts or t-shirts with offensive language/graphics. These rules will be strictly enforced.

10. **VIOLATIONS:** Entrants will be required to change into suitable attire. **Entrants who refuse to wear suitable attire will not be allowed to bowl.** Tournament management reserves the right to refuse participation to anyone deemed to be inappropriately attired without recourse. Attire needed for medical reasons must be discussed with tournament management prior to the tournament.

11. Tournament management has the discretion to disqualify any participant for unsportsmanlike conduct or unruly behavior (physical or verbal abuse of equipment or other participants) or for intoxication. **USBC Rule 303.** There will be NO use of electronic devices (video games, radios, cell phones, CD Players, etc.) on the approaches during bowling competition. If an electronic device is causing a delay of the game, the device will be confiscated and can be retrieved at the end of the event. Coaching will be allowed, but if it causes a delay in the game the offending player will be given a zero for each frame they are not ready to bowl.

12. **PROTEST:** In case of protest involving eligibility or playing rules, the protest must be filed in writing to tournament management no later than 72 hours after close of tournament per USBC Rule 329. In case of scoring errors they must be reported immediately upon discovery.

13. Team captains must check in with tournament management at least one (1) hour prior to squad time. Substitutes will be put in the place of the absent bowler. No lineup changes are permitted.
14. There will be a \$25.00 NSF check fee.
15. The entrants whose names appear hereon or their authorized replacements hereby agree the NEW MEXICO USBC Association, its officers and agents shall be liable only to the extent of returning entry fees if and when these entrants shall be prevented from bowling any event in the tournament which may be brought about by war, national emergency or emergencies or causes relating thereto or resulting there from, fires, strikes, lockouts, labor difficulties or other causes beyond the control of the NEW MEXICO USBC Association.
16. ALL RULES NOT COVERED BY THE ABOVE WILL BE COVERED BY CURRENT USBC RULE BOOK.

Payment must be submitted with entry.
 Make Remittance payable to: N.M.U.S.B.C. (only one personal check per entry will be accepted)
 IF PAYING WITH CREDIT CARD YOU MAY FAX OR EMAIL YOUR ENTRY.

ENTRY FEE PER PERSON PER EVENT:

Mail Entry and Fees to:

Melody Rayhart, Tournament Manager
 1506 White Oaks Ct.
 Alamogordo, NM 88310
 Phone / Fax: (575) 439-0473
 mrayhart@zianet.com
 www.nmusbc.com

Prize Fund:	\$8.75
Lineage	\$11.25
Expense Fund:	\$5.00
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Total:	\$25.00
Optional Handicap All-Events:	\$6.00
Optional Scratch All-Events:	\$6.00

*If using a credit card
 (Visa / MC / Discover only) add \$ 5.00*

Retain rules and entry fee calculation for your records. Return first part of entry form.

SUMMARY ENTRY FEE PER TEAM:



Team @ \$100.00 =	
# _____ Single @ \$25.00 Per Person =	
# _____ Doubles @ \$50.00 Per Pair =	
# _____ Hdcp. All Events @ \$6.00 Per Person =	
# _____ Scr. All Events @ \$6.00 Per Person =	

Total Fees for this Entry= _____